

Mint of the United States,  
April 11th, 1838.

Sir,

I wrote to you, on the 9th, by the Ordinary mail, to state that I had that day sent a set of dies for your mint, to the Secretary of the Treasury, with a request that he would forward them to you under his frank. They were half-dollar dies. To day I send in like manner, two pair of dime dies; & these remittances will be continued till your supply is complete. One pair of each set is ground down ready for the lathe. - But I have given all the requisite information in my letter of the 9th.

Very respectfully

Your faithful Servant,

(Signed) R. M. Patterson,  
Director.

To/

David Bradford, Esq.

Asst. Dir. Mint,

New Orleans.